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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Changes in Special Minutes of Meeting of 303 Committee,
10 September 1964, regarding BLUE SPRINGS

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1. At the request of Mr. Vance, the following changes in the minutes of 10 September 1964 [] have been suggested:

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a. In regard to BLUE SPRINGS, paragraph 1.b., Mr. Vance feels the following sentence better reflects the tenor of the meeting: "Mr. Vance and Mr. McCone felt that BLUE SPRINGS should be continued; they felt it was important not only to perfect the art, but also to obtain much needed intelligence." The sentence previously read: "Mr. Vance and Mr. McCone seemed to feel that BLUE SPRINGS should be continued; Mr. Vance felt it was important to 'perfect the art' and Mr. McCone felt it was important due to current uncertainties in U-2 operations."

b. Paragraph 1.c. should read: "It was generally agreed that drones should operate from Kadena []
[] No conclusion was reached concerning the type of markings to be used in operations from South Vietnam" vice "It was generally agreed that []
[] drones operating from South Vietnam should be painted black."

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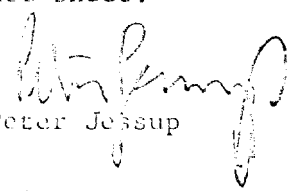
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c. An additional paragraph 1.e. was suggested as follows: "It was agreed that until the matter of operating from South Vietnam has been resolved, BLUE SPRINGS should be resumed from Kadena []"

2. These changes have been examined carefully and in the opinion of the Secretary are entirely consonant with the intent of the Committee.

3. Therefore, the revised minute for insertion in the Committee members' records appears on the attached separate sheet.



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Peter Jessup

Attachment
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